



## August Wheat Production

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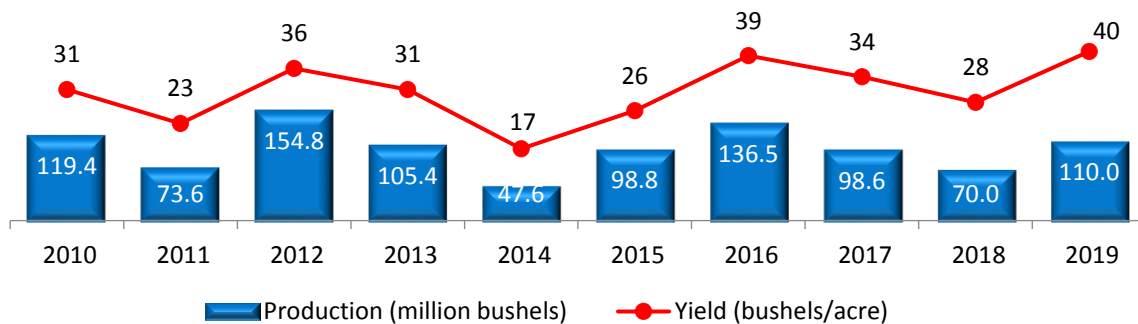
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The August wheat yield and production forecast are based on two surveys conducted by the Southern Plains Regional Field Office: a farm operator survey and an objective yield survey. The farm operator survey was conducted primarily by telephone with some use of mail, internet and personal interviews. The objective yield survey collects actual stalk counts and head weights from plots set up in producer fields across the states of Oklahoma and Texas.

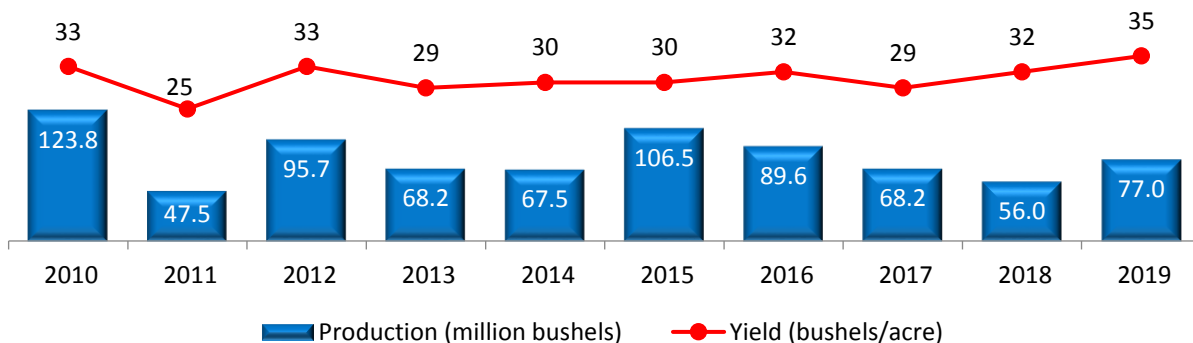
Data provided by Oklahoma and Texas operators are the foundation of the estimates for the Southern Plains region. We would like to thank all farmers who responded to the Ag Yield survey and to those wheat producers who permitted objective measurements to be taken in their fields.

### Oklahoma Wheat Production and Yield



**Wheat** production for **Oklahoma** is forecast at 110 million bushels, up 57 percent from last year. This forecast is up 5.5 million from the Oklahoma July forecast. Yield per acre is expected to average 40.0 bushels, up 12.0 bushels from the previous year. Acres expected to be harvested for grain, at 2.75 million acres, are up 10 percent from 2018.

### Texas Wheat Production and Yield



**Wheat** production for **Texas** is forecast at 77.0 million bushels, up 38 percent from last year. This forecast is unchanged from the Texas July forecast. Yield per acre is expected to average 35.0 bushels, up 3.0 bushels from 2018. Harvested acreage for grain, at 2.20 million acres, is up 26 percent from the previous year.

Winter wheat production in the Northern High Plains is forecast at 37.2 million bushels, up 88 percent from last year. Winter wheat production in the Blacklands is forecast at 10.6 million bushels, down 25 percent from the previous year. The Southern Low Plains production is estimated at 9.70 million bushels, up 11 percent from 2018.

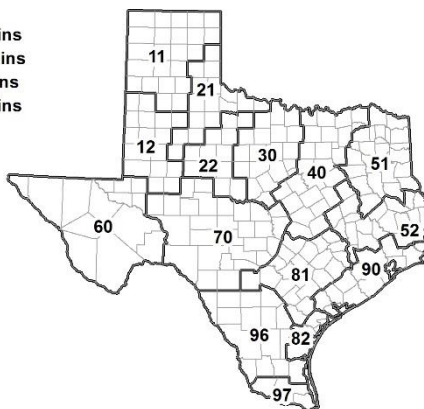
**Texas Wheat District Estimates: 2018 and Forecasted August 1, 2019**

District	Planted acres		Harvested acres <sup>1</sup>		Yield per acre		Production	
	2018	2019	2018	2019	2018	2019	2018	2019
	<i>1,000 acres</i>	<i>1,000 acres</i>	<i>1,000 acres</i>	<i>1,000 acres</i>	<i>bushels</i>	<i>bushels</i>	<i>1,000 bushels</i>	<i>1,000 bushels</i>
11	1,790.0	1,920.0	665.0	1,045.0	29.7	35.5	19,742.0	37,200.0
12	249.5	(D)	47.0	(D)	29.2	(D)	1,371.0	(D)
21	534.0	550.0	144.5	261.0	26.2	32.5	3,785.0	8,526.0
22	904.0	785.0	333.3	340.0	26.2	28.5	8,723.0	9,700.0
30	368.0	375.0	135.7	133.0	30.3	23.0	4,112.0	3,030.0
40	372.9	330.0	286.4	203.0	49.3	52.0	14,122.0	10,600.0
70	204.2	200.0	96.5	123.0	26.0	37.0	2,512.0	4,551.0
90	4.2	(D)	0.9	(D)	42.2	(D)	38.0	(D)
96	13.0	(D)	10.4	(D)	36.5	(D)	380.0	(D)
Other Districts	60.2	340.0	30.3	95.0	40.1	35.5	1,215.0	3,393.0
<b>Texas</b>	<b>4,500.0</b>	<b>4,500.0</b>	<b>1,750.0</b>	<b>2,200.0</b>	<b>32.0</b>	<b>35.0</b>	<b>56,000.0</b>	<b>77,000.0</b>

(D) Combined under *Other Districts*. Not published to prevent disclosure.

<sup>1</sup> May not add due to rounding.

- 11 Northern High Plains
- 12 Southern High Plains
- 21 Northern Low Plains
- 22 Southern Low Plains
- 30 Cross Timbers
- 40 Blacklands
- 51 North East
- 52 South East
- 60 Trans-Pecos
- 70 Edwards Plateau
- 81 South Central
- 82 Coastal Bend
- 90 Upper Coast
- 96 South
- 97 Lower Valley



**Winter Wheat: Acreage, Yield, and Production**  
**Selected States and United States: 2018 and Forecasted August 1, 2019**

State	Planted acres		Harvested acres		Yield per acre		Production	
	2018	2019	2018	2019	2018	2019	2018	2019
	<i>1,000 acres</i>	<i>1,000 acres</i>	<i>1,000 acres</i>	<i>1,000 acres</i>	<i>bushels</i>	<i>bushels</i>	<i>1,000 bushels</i>	<i>1,000 bushels</i>
Arkansas	175	100	95	60	55.0	60.0	5,225	3,600
Colorado	2,250	2,300	1,950	2,150	36.0	46.0	70,200	98,900
Kansas	7,700	7,100	7,300	6,600	38.0	53.0	277,400	349,800
Missouri	740	620	520	470	59.0	60.0	30,680	28,200
<b>Oklahoma</b>	<b>4,400</b>	<b>4,400</b>	<b>2,500</b>	<b>2,750</b>	<b>28.0</b>	<b>40.0</b>	<b>70,000</b>	<b>110,000</b>
<b>Texas</b>	<b>4,500</b>	<b>4,500</b>	<b>1,750</b>	<b>2,200</b>	<b>32.0</b>	<b>35.0</b>	<b>56,000</b>	<b>77,000</b>
United States	32,535	31,778	24,742	24,924	47.9	53.2	1,183,939	1,326,223

**U.S. Highlights:** Winter wheat production for grain is forecast at 1.33 billion bushels, up 3 percent from the previous forecast and up 12 percent from 2018. Based on August 1 conditions, yields are expected to average 53.2 bushels per harvested acre, up 1.4 bushels from last month, and up 5.3 bushels from 2018. Area harvested for grain is forecast at 24.9 million acres, unchanged from the previous forecast, but up 1 percent from 2018.

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